

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A stabilized solid controlled release dosage
form having a coating derived from an aqueous dispersion
of ethylcellulose is obtained by overcoating a substrate
including a therapeutically active with an aqueous
dispersion of ethylcellulose and then curing the coated
substrate at a temperature and relative humidity elevated
to a suitable level above ambient conditions until the
coated dosage form attains a stabilized dissolution
10 profile substantially unaffected by exposure to storage
conditions of elevated temperature and/or elevated
relative humidity.